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TO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: IS,SCUL

SUBJECT: SMITHSONIAN ARCHEOLOGICAL EXCAVATIONS AT  
TEL JEMMAH

REFERENCE: TEL AVIV 2862

1. THOUGH THERE HAS BEEN DELAY IN AVAILABILITY OF NEW  
FUNDS FOR TEL JEMMAH PROJECT, VAN BEEK HAS ALREADY  
RETURNED TO ISRAEL AND BEGUN NEW EXCAVATION SEASON WITH  
PREVIOUSLY DISBURSED FUNDS.

2. SMITHSONIAN WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY NOW DISBURSING  
U.S. DOLS 9,000 (NINE THOUSAND) TO DR. GUS VAN BEEK  
PER REFTEL CHARGE APPROPRIATION 3370100, STATION SYMBOL  
33010001. VOUCHER SHOULD CITE SMITHSONIAN INTERNAL  
ACCOUNTING NUMBER 873390-00P10000-3390 FOR IDENTIFICA-  
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